



Photos by William Mecaughy

1990 Farmers' Fair Queen and Court

Thursday, October 18 marked the opening of this year's Farmers' Fair with the queen contest held at the Middle School, sponsored by the Women's Club. This year's Farmers' Fair Queen is Gina Guerrero (seated center), 1st runner-up (left) is Chaitra Dalton and 2nd runner-up (right) is Amy Lavella. Gina was a dual winner this year also being selected Homecoming Queen.

In photo below the contestants share a light hearted

moment dressed in traditional Pennsylvania farmer clothes during the contest. Left to right front row are Gina Guerrero, Chaitra Dalton and Amy Lavella. Back row are Hope Madala, Brenda Stoner, Amy Lavella, Tamara Leitzel, Jennifer Schrack, Cayce Acker, Amy Grill and Shanda Leier.

The queen and her court attended the Children's Parade on Friday, and the Fantastic Parade, Saturday



Historical Society to meet

The next meeting of the Northern York County Historical and Preservation Society will be on Thursday, November 1, 1990 at 7:30 p.m. in the Social Hall of the Monaghan Presbyterian Church at the corner of North Baltimore and Church Streets. The program for the evening will be a presentation by Bob Geyman (Chairman of the Mines Committee), on mines and mining in the Dillsburg area. Members, guests and visitors are sincerely invited to join the group at this meeting. Light refreshments will be served.

Handbell choir member

Carol Hamlet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Hamlet, 140 Stony Run Road, Dillsburg, is performing with the Handbell Choir at Millersville University this semester.

A senior majoring in music education, Carol is a graduate of Northern York High School.

Band Booster highlights

Congratulations to the Northern High School Band and Color Guard for their first place performance on Saturday at Carlisle. How exciting - High Percussion and High Color Guard. Thank you for the tremendous cheering section. It was a great thrill to look over at the fans and see the crowd participation and admiration. Make sure you get tickets early for EOB Championships on November 3, 1990. Tickets are not for reserved seats, so get there early for the best seats. T-shirts and sweatshirts with the 1990 logo are available to purchase for the championships. Please call Mr. Riley if you are interested.

West Chester competition is Saturday, October 27. Tickets can be purchased from Mr. Riley. Hope to see you there.

A special "thank you" to the Middle School moms who came in and fit the band and guard for their performance. This is a big job, and they completed it without too many problems.

With the resignation of the instructor for the Middle School Guard Unit it did not seem that a unit would be able to be instructed for the upcoming performances. However, several members of the High School Guard Unit volunteered to help coordinate and instruct the some 48 girls and they will be ready to march on Friday.

A thank you from the Farmers' Fair President

As President of the 1990 Dillsburg Farmers' Fair Association I would like to thank all those persons who help make our 75th celebration a great time for all. A special thanks to the various chairman who gave that little extra of their time to make the special events the best ever.

If you did not purchase a 75th Anniversary Souvenir Calendar and wish to do so, they are still on sale at various local merchants, price \$3.50. We will be placing an order for more Anniversary mugs. Orders can be placed at the library or by calling 432-4781. The price of \$5.00 must be paid when placing your order.

It is not too late to place an order for the Anniversary book at the library, cost \$7.50.

Again I want to thank the community and all persons who made this Fair one of the best ever.

Lloyd Wagener

Bears end Losing streak

By John Middlekauff

It's over, finally! That terribly long losing streak against Mid-Penn Division II opponents came to an end Friday night (10-19), as Northern defeated Lower Dauphin 7-0. Not since the season of 1987 when the Polar Bears defeated Palmyra, had Northern tasted victory against their Division II rivals.

How can we describe this one? "A win is a win?" How about, "It wasn't pretty, but it was a win?" In any case both are very true.

Northern got the only points of this game when Junior tailback Dave Habowski broke off his own right side, leaped over a would-be Lower Dauphin defender, and streaked 30 yards to pay-dirt. It had to be a very gratifying ball game for Dave. Not only did this talented Junior score the lone T.D., but he also rushed for 129 yards, played very solid linebacker on defense and averaged 43 yards while punting. Not a bad night's work!

This win was important, because it did prove that the Bears can move the ball on the ground. They had to win this one, as their most consistent weapon, QB Phil Getty, had an off-night. Phil was only able to complete one pass out of twelve for fourteen yards. But as mentioned before, the ground game did come through.

Northern backs Habowski, Clark Florio and Kevin Leitzel rushed the ball 36 times for a total of 211 yards. Northern's defense laid claim to its fair share of acclaim also. Exhibiting a bend, bend, bend, but never break brand of football, the Northern "D" shut down the Facon offensive when it had too. They had their work cut out for them, as L.D. Senior tailback rushed for 122 of his team's 169 yards on the ground.

It has to be somewhat amazing that Lower Dauphin did as well as they did. The Facons were crushed by Red Land, Monday night in a re-scheduled game and then had to re-bounce against the Bears four nights later. Unfortunately, it would seem that Lower Dauphin is destined to wind up in the Mid-Penn Division II cellar in 1990.

In this week's contest, Northern will head down to Palmyra to engage the Cougars on Friday night. Stated simply and plainly, it should be a win for Northern. The Cougars are young, and they are small. Not so much size-wise, but in numbers. Palmyra did not have a big turn-out for football this year—only twenty-six. Palmyra, when healthy does have one size up front but their most outstanding player thus far is Sophomore QB Jim Moons. Having been passed by Red Land the last time out, the Cougars will be looking to pick up the pieces. Northern should be more than equal to this task.

Theft

Dillsburg Police are investigating the theft of stereos, televisions, compact disc players and VCR's taken from recreational vehicles at Elnor's RV World, Route 15 South, Dillsburg.

Police Chief Glenn Smith said the thieves broke window and doors to get into the RV's, then used crow bars to pry the items from consoles and dash units. Police set losses at around \$40,000.

Carroll Township also had 13 vehicles broken into in the Camp Ground Road area.

Vandalism

Five-hundred dollars worth of damage was done to the gazebo in Quay Park Saturday night. Police said someone melted candles and tore out 10-15 boards.

Good Hope/Hampden crafts show

The 14th annual Good Hope/Hampden Fall Arts and Crafts Show will be held on November 16 from 5 to 10 p.m. and November 17 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The show will be held at the Good Hope Middle School and the Hampden Elementary School, 451 Skyport Road, Mechanicsburg.

Taking part in this year's show are 175 exhibitors with a large variety of crafts. Food, drinks and baked goods will also be sold.

A free shuttle service is being provided and will run to and from Kmart parking lot on Carlisle Pike every 15 minutes.

The Fall Arts and Crafts show is sponsored by the Good Hope and Hampden schools PTAs. For further information, call 761-1865.

Small game season opens Saturday

Pennsylvania hunters will break a 54-year-old tradition later this month when they go afield in autumn's colorful splendor to pursue turkeys, rabbits, pheasants, quail and woodcock. It marks the first general small game and turkey season since 1936 that sportsmen may begin hunting before 9 a.m.

The change, approved by the Game Commission earlier this year, permits hunters to start taking game one-half hour before sunrise. The October 27 opener is one day shy of the annual fall return to standard time, so starts range from 6:51 a.m. in easternmost counties to 7:11 a.m. in the western section. Following Monday start times are 5:58 in the east and 6:18 in the west.